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**BUSSES WELL PATRONIZED.**

**Reports That Griswold Is Giving Passes Over His Line.**

If the lockout of the Annapolis car drivers continues much longer there is a possibility, however vague, that travelers to and from the city will be offered an inducement to patronize that line. The latest from the city on the hill is that President Griswold is distributing daily a large number of complimentary passes over his road. They are given out in the same style as those issued to the employees of the road. This was done, it is alleged, to avoid issuing a new style of pass, which would of course be very noticeable.

The pass is a little larger than an ordinary car ticket. On one side is "complimentary pass," and on the other side of the pass, month and day are also left blank. On the opposite side is printed "Annapolis Railway System" and a facsimile of the autograph of President Griswold.

However true this rumor may be it has not in any way affected the patronage of the line (the bus being operated by the street railway company). In fact, the patronage has so increased within the last few days as to make it necessary to double the number of cars running on the line.

Master Workman Lawrence on being informed of the necessity for greater accommodations for the traveling public yesterday made arrangements to put four more buses on the line. In addition to this, the bus line will be extended as far as the St. Elizabeth Asylum.

So far the bus line has more than paid expenses and the patronage is daily increasing. If this continues and the extra buses running to the asylum prove a success the local car men will no longer be an expense to the railway company.

**RUTH AND ESTHER AT THEATRE.**

Mrs. Cleveland Took Her Children for the First Time.

Mrs. Grover Cleveland, accompanied by Miss Ruth and Esther Cleveland, were spectators at the matinee in the Lafayette Square Theatre yesterday afternoon. It was the first time the children had ever seen a stage performance.

# MORE LIGHT IN COUNTY

Permit Granted to Erect Poles and String Wires.

MOUNT PLEASANT OBJECTS

Columbia Heights Citizens' Association Asks the Commissioners to Prohibit Obstruction of Fourteenth and Park Streets by the Cable Cars.

A permit was issued by the Commissioners yesterday to the Potomac Light and Power Company to erect poles and string electric wires, properly insulated, from the junction of Newark street and Wisconsin avenue eastward along Newark to Hubbard street, thence southward to Woodley road and again southward to the junction of Woodley road and Connecticut avenue, extended and in Woodley Park. The purpose of this grant is to allow the company, which is operated by Capt. Crosby in conjunction with the Potomac Light and Power Company, to put electric lights along the line described and in residences of the vicinity. Among these are President Cleveland's home at Woodley Inn, Hon. Gardner D. Hubbard's and Mr. Wagonmaster's. The lights will also be put in Woodley Park.

**POLES AND WIRES.**  
The erection of poles and electric wires was also the subject of contention, which brought to the Board Building yesterday Messrs. M. A. Ballenger, C. M. Carter, Bushrod Robinson, M. D. Jacobs, Patrick O'Farrell, and Dr. A. L. Sturtevant, a delegation of the Columbia Heights Citizens' Association. Mr. Ballenger, as spokesman, asked that poles be permitted, so that the telegraph office, now at Park and Fourteenth streets, may be located at Fourteenth street and Maryland, or some other point nearer the city. He said the bulk of the business for the office came from the section between Maryland street and Florida avenue, and residents in that section are obliged to pay \$2,000 for special messenger service to get their telegrams delivered. The Western Union is ready to put in wires, but the Commissioners will not permit the overhead wires. He also asked that the cable cars be not allowed to obstruct Fourteenth street, near Park, and the drainage be improved on Florida avenue, near Garfield Hospital.

All the proposals to erect the lunch stands at the wholesale market were rejected, and the money deposited ordered refunded. The present occupant of the lunch stand was directed to vacate, as the place is to be repaired. Preparations for the establishment of the wholesale market continue.

**AWAITING JUDICIAL PROCEEDINGS.**  
The Commissioners have taken no further action in the matter. The company's injunction is under which the Commissioners are temporarily restrained from clearing the street south of the market edges up Saturday, when the whole subject will be thoroughly discussed. A judicial decision will be made soon after.

**REPUBLICANS JOLLIED.**

Bladensburg Voters Had Speeches and a Procession.

The Republican voter citizens and their friends of the Bladensburg election district celebrated the victory won last Tuesday with a grand torchlight procession, dinner and speech-making in front of the Palo Alto Hotel at that place last evening.

The procession was a large one, there being over 400 men in line. The march was from the hotel to Sand street, where the line counted to Hyattsville, stopping for a short while in front of the residence of Col. F. A. Holden, of that place. From there they returned to the hotel, where the speaking took place from the front porch. The speakers were, Col. Holden, who took an active part in the last campaign in support of the Republican nominee; Capt. W. M. Foster of Laurel, who accompanied Governor-elect Lowndes in his campaign, and Mr. George Holmes, member-elect to the house of delegates from the Bladensburg district.

Col. Perry Carson, E. B. Welborne and Aaron Bradshaw, from this city, also addressed the assembly.

After the speaking Col. Edwin P. Gargus entertained the crowd with a barbecue dinner.

**STUDENTS OF ROCKS.**

Geological Society Discusses Some Interesting Papers.

The thirty-seventh meeting of the Geological Society of Washington, was held last night at the Cosmos Club, corner of Madison Place and H street northwest.

Mr. S. F. Emmons read a review of the literature of the South African gold fields. The subject is an interesting one and it was handled in a capable manner by Mr. Emmons.

An informal summary of observations in Alaska was presented by Messrs. George F. Becker and William H. Dall.

Mr. J. S. Diller read some field notes on the geology of Oregon.

**Hope Mission Fraud.**

Editor Times: An impression seems to have been given by the account given in the Times of the fraud recently perpetrated in the use of the name of the Hope and Help Mission, by the sale of tickets to a "benefit" that never was received the money for the tickets sold, or a part of it.

No such impression, I am sure, could have arisen from the account in the Times, but will you please say that any such belief is entirely erroneous? Not a cent from the sale of the spurious tickets ever came to the mission, or any of its officers, and they knew nothing, whatever, of the actions of the women who seem to have been so successful in using the commendable sympathy of many of the best people of Washington, with a most worthy object for their own wicked ends. Very truly,  
MRS. S. D. LUCKETT,  
Member of Board of Managers.

**For Stealing a Chair.**

David Reed, a colored cookman, employed by Dr. Sprague, 1123 Vermont avenue, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer Ellis, and lodged at No. 2 station, from Carpenter C. D. Collins, of No. 1713 Twenty-first street northwest. Mr. Collins says he left the chair in an alley on Vermont avenue and asked Reed to watch it, while he went into the house where it was to be delivered. When he returned the chair was gone, Reed having disposed of it elsewhere. The chair was finally found and returned to its owner.

**Boston Man Decorated.**

A medal of honor has been awarded Thomas F. Ellsworth, late corporal Second Massachusetts Infantry and captain Fifty-fifth Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, for gallantry in action at Honey Hill, S. C., November 30, 1864. During the engagement this officer, under a heavy fire, carried his wounded commanding officer from the field. He now resides in Boston.

**Senator Sherman Ill.**

Senator John Sherman of Ohio is suffering from a severe cold and intermittent fever. Although there is said to be nothing serious in his condition he denies himself to callers.

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Suits, Overcoats, Trousers and Children's Clothing Sacrificed at Much Less Than Wholesale Cost.

**We MUST Raise \$15,885.18.**

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DEAR SIR:

Your letter of the 17th is to hand, and we note contents. We would have replied at once, but the importance of the matter and the absence of Brother Louis caused the delay.

We have carefully considered your request, and are very sorry to hear of your position, but must decline to extend your note, due December 2, for any longer period.

We expect you to meet same when due and not put us to any unnecessary trouble and expense.

Respectfully,  
**BERGHER BROS.**

COPY OF LETTER THAT FORCES US TO SACRIFICE OUR MAGNIFICENT STOCK.

The time is drawing near—December 2nd is the limit—still the money has not been raised to meet the note for \$15,885.18 due Bergher Bros., Syracuse, N. Y., on that date.

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Splendid new goods—magnificently made up and finished—all the latest patterns—all sizes—wonderful prices.

\$2.00 Trousers Sacrificed at.....	\$1.00
\$3.00 Trousers Sacrificed at.....	1.75
\$4.00 Trousers Sacrificed at.....	2.00
\$5.00 Trousers Sacrificed at.....	2.50
\$6.00 Trousers Sacrificed at.....	3.50

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A beautiful new stock of Children's Suits for winter wear—It seems a burning shame to have to sacrifice these fine goods at less than wholesale cost—All sizes and every style made.

Beautiful Suits at \$1.00 (Boys) Sacrificed at.....	\$1.00
Double-breasted.....	1.50
High-grade Suits.....	2.00
Double-breasted.....	2.50
High-grade Suits.....	3.00
Boys' Suits.....	2.00
Boys' Suits.....	2.50

### MEN'S OVERCOATS.

Superb Melton, Beaver, Kersey and Rough and smooth Cloth Overcoats—all the new and most fashionable cuts and lengths—all sizes and qualities.

Regular \$7.50 Overcoats must go at.....	\$ 3.75
Regular \$10 Overcoats must go at.....	6.00
Regular \$15 Overcoats must go at.....	7.50
Regular \$20 Overcoats must go at.....	14.00
Regular \$30 Overcoats must go at.....	18.00

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Finest quality of Heavy-weight Suits in Tailors, Cheviots, Cassimeres, and Worsteds. Every size—every style—every make.

100 Suits slaughtered at.....	\$5.00
100 Suits slaughtered at.....	6.00
100 Suits slaughtered at.....	7.50
100 Suits slaughtered at.....	8.50
100 Suits slaughtered at.....	10.00

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English China Decorated Tea Sets, 16 pieces.....	\$2.27
Regular price, \$4.25.....	
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Regular price, \$6.00.....	
100 pieces Decorated China Dinner Sets, new shapes and patterns.....	\$4.76
Regular price, \$7.00.....	
10 dozen Crystal Glass Water Goblets.....	12c
Regular price, 25c.....	
10 dozen Silver-plated Teaspoons.....	10c
Regular price, 25c.....	
Regular Wash Tub, Wash Board, Clothes Line, 1 each, Office Soap, 3 Boxes Blue.....	53c
Regular price, 95c.....	
Solid Copper Wash Bottles.....	\$1.27
Regular price, \$2.25.....	
Pastory Board Rolling pin.....	17c
Regular price, 31c.....	
14 dozen best Wine Glasses.....	13c
Regular price, 25c.....	
Large size Majolica Pitchers.....	10c
Regular price, 25c.....	
Coal Shovel and Poker, and Stove Polish.....	9c
Regular price, 35c.....	
14 dozen best quality Knives and Forks.....	33c
Regular price, 60c.....	
Pans, String Beans, Lima Beans, Corn, Succotash, per can.....	5c

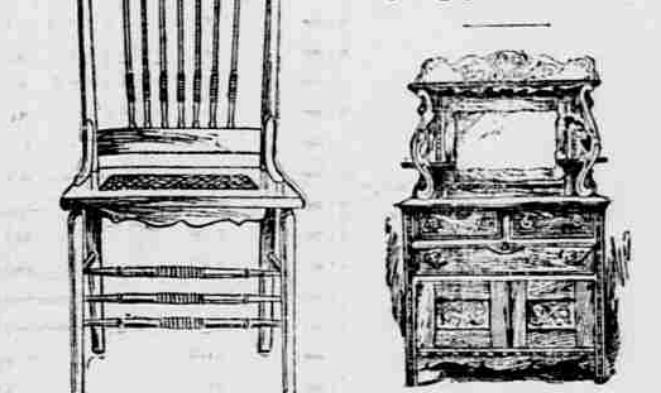
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Sirloin Steak.....	12c
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### ASYLUM FOR INEBRIATES

Sanitary Officer Frank Urges Its Immediate Establishment.

Virginia and Maryland Flooding the District with Paupers—Interesting Report On Charities.

An inebriate asylum with compulsory residence there of patients is one of the leading recommendations of the supplemental police reports made public yesterday. These reports, covering the year ending June 30, 1895, were submitted by Chief Clerk Sylvester, as property clerk, Sanitary Officer Frank, Harbormaster Station, Police Sergeant Mayfield, as secretary of the board; Humane Agent Wilson and Hack Inspector Groff.

Referring to the need of a hospital for the treatment of inebriates, Mr. Frank says the establishment of such an institution seems to meet with the hearty endorsement of the community. "If inebriety is a disease," he says, "and it is so admitted by the medical profession, then it seems that it is necessary to care for the inebriate."

He expresses the hope that Congress will enact into law the bill reported favorably at the last session. Mr. Frank recommends that a room be set aside at Washington Asylum Hospital for persons who may be only drunk, but seem to be crazy, where they will be under the care of a physician until their condition is determined. Also, a room for scarlet fever and diphtheria should be provided at every hospital; that \$2,500 should be appropriated for sending home paupers and kept separate from the paupers in the transportation fund; that a hostler for the ambulance service at \$50 a month be appointed and drivers' pay raised to \$50. In other cities drivers are paid as high as \$40.

The ambulance runs have increased in the past year by 334, nearly 25 per cent. An increase of 4-13 in persons sent to the hospital is reported. This was due to the severe weather, when some are thought to have asked to be sent to the hospital to escape the cold.

Of these 327 were from Virginia and Maryland. Of persons stranded while seeking employment an excess of fifty-two over 1894 is noted. The number of cranks was fourteen exactly, the same as the previous year. There was not money enough to send home all deserving applicants. The amount so expended was \$1,778, a decrease from 1894 of \$210.

Chief Clerk Sylvester says: The financial transactions of the office aggregated \$632,621, of which \$24,000 represents salaries paid; \$22,726, police court fines; \$3,934, bail receipts, rewards, fines and sales; \$15,147, for uniforms; \$8,999, charity distributions; \$2,537, fuel, rent, etc.; \$14,000 verification of police permits; \$2,861, police relief; \$30,119, property lost, stolen, and abandoned. There is no stronger evidence," he states, "of the multiplying business of this department," than this statement furnishes.

He then points out that the diversified nature of the work requires a greater number of book entries by the clerk than ever before. He asks the privilege to call attention to the lack of office space producing bad sanitary conditions and hampering work. He has been obliged to store property in basements and stables beyond his personal inspection.

The investigation of charity cases has required considerable clerical attention. In charity expenditures the office has been considerably assisted by the Citizens' Relief Committee, adopting his suggestion that each auxiliary furnish a daily report of persons assisted. This prevented duplication of relief. He urges that Charity Commissioners' Traveler's office should aid in dispersing relief by the liquidation of all accounts against funds furnished by the relief committee.

All collections in District cases at the police court have been deposited once a week. This he says is business-like and permits the accumulation of funds in his custody. Delays have heretofore occurred which are now provided against.

He recommends for the keeping of individual records of policemen the adoption of the card system introduced in the War Department by Col. Ainsworth.

The report closes with a compliment to the six clerks in the office "who have been at their desks each day the week, not excepting the seventh, and none have enjoyed the usual leave of government employees."

The report of Hack Inspector S. A. Groff to Supt. Moore shows no marked change from previous years. It gives 547 licensed vehicles, 341 inspectors, 30 hack stands. He calls attention to the requests of street contractors by which hackmen are compelled to stand in unshaded places. To keep vehicles off the asphalt at hard-end, it will, he says, but to confine the men for weeks to limits when the sun heat is nearly 100 degrees, is a hardship.

The report of Humane Society Agent S. Wilson tells Supt. Moore that Mr. Wilson investigated 312 cases and placed 158 children under the care of institutions. This is an increase of ten cases over last year. There is no more room for commitments to the Board of Children Guardians from the police court decreased from 59 to 38, explained by more work by the Board of Institutions' employees. But there is an increase of 46 in the number sent to institutions by Mr. Wilson directly.

He renews his suggestion of legislation to compel parents to support their children, legitimate or illegitimate. The laws of New York are recommended as models. He also recommends that commitments to institutions be for definite terms, not less than a year. There is no more room for commitments to the Colored Girls' Reform School.

Dr. Mayfield states that there is no record of visits of inspection to stations and visits to sick persons. The number of policemen sick was 1,073; of visits, 3,618. Meetings of the board have numbered 25; applicants examined, 396; of whom three-fourths were rejected; insanity cases, 88.

Harbor Master Sutton gives the most notable event of each day's work. One is the recovery of a \$3,000 boat for B. Cumberland. Bodies of twenty-three drowned persons were recovered, two were dragged for, but not found. Half a dozen were saved from drowning, the most notable case being that of Joseph Thompson and John Dulan, who were picked up from a capsize boat near Buena Vista on November 19, 1894, almost frozen.

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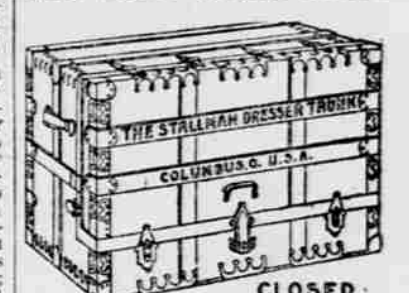
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